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MONOLAYERS WITH SPATIALLY LOCALIZED POLYMER BRUSHES (as previously

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated December 16, 2003, please amend the above-identified application and consider the remarks as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this document.